Q. ***Hickory Hill, the mansion in McLean, Va., now occupied by Ethel and Bobby Kennedy—who were its previous owners?—J. N. Taylor, Charlottesville, Va.*** Parade 3/5/67

A. After they were married, John and Jacqueline Kennedy bought the house from the estate of Supreme Court Justice Robert Jackson. In 1957 when Jacqueline Kennedy decided to move into Washington, D.C., the house was sold to her in-laws, Joseph P. and Rose Kennedy. (In 1965 the house was deeded by Joseph Kennedy and wife to Ethel S. Kennedy as "a sole and separate estate free from debts, control or marital rights, including courtesy of her present or any future husband.")

This angle is very intriguing. Ethels were multi-millionaires